

CHINESE REFORMERS ARRIVE IN CITY

Officers of Empire Association Entertained at Banquet by Local Celestials.

Object of Organization, Which
Dowager Empress Suppressed,
Is to Secure Constitutional
Form of Government.

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Leong Kai Cheu, vice president of the Chinese Empire Reform Association, arrived in St. Louis last night, and is stopping at the Southern Hotel. He is accompanied by Pow Chee, general secretary

The Chinamen are touring the United States in the interest of the new China reform movement. Leong Kai Chou is one of the leading reformers of China. He celebrated as an orator and has advanced ideas on political economy.

While in St. Louis the Chinamen are guests of the local branch of the association. This branch was organized in October, 1902, and includes nearly all the Chinese in St. Louis in its membership. Jau Shue is president of the local organization.

A grand delegation of chinamen met at "Astor's" Ecken Station and accompanied

During the evening several hundred Chinese men from every section of the city thronged the stores and restaurants along Hong Alley to meet and talk with the reformers. While here Cheu will deliver several public talks to his countrymen. It is his intention to remain here three days.

The Chinese Emigrant Reform Association was founded about five years ago. At that time of its originative days, it was

Mr. Cheu was among those who fell under the ban. He quit China and came to the United States to take up the work he had planned to do in his native land. The object of the association, he says, is to establish a constitutional form of government, establish public schools and accomplish other political and social reforms in China.

Mr. Chen was educated in Australia and has traveled extensively since completing his education. He has served all the forms of European government and knows reform in China can be brought about by means of public education. Just what he hopes to accomplish in this country he cannot explain.

Real Estate Transfers.

ARMAND—65 ft. s. s. n. e. cor. California, city block 1280; also Armand, 125 ft. bet. California and 12th, city block 1280; also Armand, 50 ft. s. s. bet. Jefferson and Ohio, city block 1281; also Armand, 50 ft. s. s. bet. Jefferson and Ohio, city block 1279; also Cook, 50 ft. 36 in. s. s. bet. Marcus and Valston, city block 1282; also Armand, J. Aritz and wife to Crescent Investment Co., 50 ft. s. s. bet. Jefferson and Ohio, city block 1281.

BICKER—53 ft. s. s. bet. Jefferson and Julian and Birchler, city block 2590; Benjamin Bicker and wife to American Central Trust Company—s. s. bet. Jefferson and Ohio, city block 1281.

BEKINS—62 ft. 10 in. n. s. n. e. cor. F. Hammert and wife to American Central Trust Company—r. s. bet. Jefferson and Ohio, city block 1281.

Birch, city block 604; Benjamin F.
 Hammett and wife to American Central
 Commercial, city block 604.
 CARR—26 ft. 9 in. s. s. e. cor. Sev-
 enth, city block 149; also George W.
 Hammett and wife to American Central
 Commercial, city block 149. W. C. to
 Eaton, 100 ft. 9 in. s. s. e. cor. Sev-
 enth, city block 332; George W.
 Hammett and wife to American Central
 Commercial, city block 332. R. H. to
 Spl. comm'r. s. s. e. cor. Sev-
 enth, city block 332.
 CASTLEMAN—25 ft. s. s. bet. Thurman
 and Commercial, city block 332. A.
 Starck and wife to Alfred L. Starck.
 COTTON—25 ft. s. s. bet. Thurman
 and Commercial, city block 332.
 King's highway and Union, city block
 695; Mary C. Taubly to Walter Murch
 and wife, city block 695.
 DEVONSHIRE—50 ft. s. s. bet. Brannon
 and Mackinac, city block 574; James H.
 Hays to American Central Commercial,
 city block 574.

Noble—w. a. s. e. bet. Vandewater
Fairbank—w. a. s. e. bet. Vandewater
and S. Park, city block 656; Frederick J.
Garfield—w. a. s. e. bet. Vandewater
and S. Park, city block 260; Walter W. Mes-
terlander and wife to Frederick W.
Mesterlander—w. a. s. e. bet. Vandewater
and S. Park, city block 415; m. n. s. e. e.
cor. Brecher, city block 699; Benjamin
Hammitt and wife to American Cen-
tral Trust Co.—tr. d. s. e. bet. Vandewater
and S. Park, city block 415; m. n. s. e. e.
cor. Brecher, city block 699; Benjamin
Hammitt and wife to American Central
Trust Co.—tr. d. s. e. bet. Vandewater
and S. Park, city block 415; George F. Cot-
trill and wife to Wm. R. Cottrill—w. d. s. e.
bet. Vandewater and S. Park, city block 120; Henry L. Glusenkamp to Wal-

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Nebraska, city block 2157; also St. Vincent, 354 ft. s. s. c. California and Nevada, city block 2153; Abraham Frank Real Estate and Fin. Co. s. c. Black-26 ft. s. s. c. RIDGE-26 ft. 6 in. s. s. being 5322 Ridge, city block 2792; Alexander C. Halwe-w. d. SAUCRMENTO-33 ft. s. s. c. cor. to city block 2838; Royce Rooney to George A. Slattery-w. d. SAKAH-64 ft. 6 in. w. s. bet. North Street and Grand-40 ft. block 3433; Sarah J. Watkins to Hiram E. Silvenius-w. d. SAKAH-64 ft. s. s. c. bet. North Market and Garfield; city block 2633; Hiram E. Silvenius and Realty Company-w. d. s. c. STODDARD-22 ft. s. s. c. being 278 Stoddard

and wife to Michael Joseph O'Brien-w.
d.
ST. LUTHER-40 ft. w. C. H. Burton-Hew-
Henry Rosenholz and wife to George
Galer-gro. d.
WHEATON-25 ft. w. 253 Whittier-
city block 965. Katie O'Gorman to
William H. Buey-w.
WHEATON-25 ft. w. s. bet. Italian and
Cherokee. city block 1524. Anna B. Field-
ler to Augusta Eschmann-w. d.
CHIAFANT-FLOTIRON.
St. Charles, Mo., July 17.-Mr. Alfred Chai-
f. and Miss Zora Flotiron, both of Kansas
City, Kas., were married here yesterday afternoon.
MORRIS-HUNTER.
Pana, Ill., July 17.-The marriage of Miss
Lillian Hunter of Ramsey and Mr. Charles Mor-
ris of Pana, Ill., was celebrated here last

a mail carrier here, took place last evening.

WILLBOURN-VON FELEN.
St. Charles, Mo., June 17.—Miss Edith Willboirn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Von Fele of Davenport, Ill., was married here yesterday afternoon by Judge J. H. Barnett.

BARNETT-BROOKAW.
Litchfield, Ill., July 17.—Miss Estelle Brokaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Brokaw of that place, was married here last evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Barnett at the home of the bride's parents.

DUCKLES-PHELPS.
Carlinville, Ill., July 17.—Mr. Perry M. Duckles and Miss Mary Phelps, of Chesterton, Ind., were married at the home of the bride's parents yesterday evening.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.
Galesburg, Ill., July 17.—Mr. and Mrs. A.

l. Jacobi celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his wedding in this city to-day. The couple came to this city from Galeburg in 1858. Mr. Jacobi was for years a leading clothing merchant in this section.